publication in the Weekly State Register and Iowa State Leader, without expense to the State. Approved, April 9th, 1872.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Weekly Iowa State Register, April 17, and in the Iowa State Leader, April 18, 1872.

ED WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

Сн. 83.]

CHAPTER L.

[H. F. 277.

THE CHIEF JUSTICE ALLOWED CLERK-HIRE.

APRIL 9.

AN ACT to Provide for an Allowance to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court for Clerk-hire.

\$2000 allowed Ch Justice for clerk-hire, &c. Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That from January 1st, 1872, to January 1st, 1874, there be allowed to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court the sum of one thousand dollars per annum for clerk-hire and incidental expenses. The allowance aforesaid shall be payable in monthly installments.

In force when.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force from and after its publication in the Daily State Register, and State Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines.

Approved, April 9th, 1872.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily Iowa State Register*, April 12, and in the *Daily State Leader*, April 12, 1872.

ED WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

Сн. 84.]

CHAPTER LI.

[H. F. 170.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF JOHN PARROTT.

APRIL 9. AN ACT Relinquishing an Escheat in Des Moines County to John Parrott.

WHEREAS, Sarah Parrott departed this life on or about the 9th day of July, 1871, in Des Moines county, Iowa,

being seized and possessed at the time of her death in fee Preamble. simple of the following described real estate, situate in the city of Burlington, Des Moines county, Iowa, to-wit: lot number twenty five in the northern addition to the city

of Burlington; and

WHEREAS, At the time of her death, she had no child, or children, father or mother, brothers or sisters, or descendants of either, her surviving, or others upon whom descent could be cast, except her husband, John Parrott, who survives her, she having died in lawful wedlock;

WHEREAS, One undivided one-half of said real estate

would escheat to the State of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, It is but just that said John Parrott, her surviving husband, should hold and possess in his own

right the entirety of said estate; therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Rechest from wife without helps the State of Iowa, That the State of Iowa does hereby relinquished to relinquish all right or title, which she now has or might band. acquire by escheat, in and to lot number twenty-five, in the northern addition to the city of Burlington, Iowa, by reason of the death of Sarah Parrott aforesaid, and hereby grants the same and relinquishes her right therein to the said John Parrott, surviving husband of said Sarah Parrott, and to his heirs, assigns, and vendees.

Approved, April 9th, 1872.

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CHAPTER LII.

[H. F. 346.

PROVIDING FOR A CENSUS IN 1873.

AN ACT to Provide for Taking a Census of this State in the year APRIL 9. A. D. 1873.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Tp. assessor to of the State of Iowa, That the township assessor of each habitants in 1878 township in this State shall, at the time of assessing property in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-three, take an enumeration of the inhabitants of his township, showing the total number of males, total number of females, number of persons entitled to vote, number of militia, number of foreigners not naturalized, number of families, number of dwellings, and number of acres of Items required.